

THE LARGEST CIRCULATION
IN A CITY OF 8,000
AND A
COUNTY OF 10,000 POPULATION

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To Dress Well

Is more the result of
good judgment and
taste than the mere
lavish use of money.
Our stock of
FALL DRESS GOODS
Is adapted to fill the
wants of those who
having slender in-
comes, still desire to
make their appear-
ance creditable.

Our experience and close relations
with
MANUFACTURERS
enable us to present this season a line
of Dress Goods unapproachable in
STYLE, QUALITY, PRICE.

BASSETT & CO.

COPIING FROM US.

European countries say take the hint and
do not let the reciprocity idea
The style of reciprocity which the
protectionists in the Senate adopted as
the result of the agitation set in motion
by Maine seems likely to find an imi-
tator in Europe. The reciprocity adopted
by the Senate says, in effect, to the
Southern Nations: "Remove or reduce
your duties on our products within a
year, or up to our duties on your products."

Now France, who has a great grievance
against us on account of our McKinley
tariff, has taken the reciprocity
hint from us and it is said that that
country may "throw a sheet to the
windward" of about the same size, shape
and color as our own. A trade paper
prints the following piece of news:

"On the expiration of the French
treaties of commerce, a customs bill
will be introduced in Parliament fixing
a simple general tariff and giving the
French Government the right to in-
crease the duties on goods from coun-
tries that refuse to grant France eco-
nomic advantages."

It is not difficult to decide upon one
of the countries which France has in
her mind's eye when she speaks of
"countries which refuse to grant France
economic advantages." France has for
months been greatly agitated over our
McKinley tariff measures. She has
efforts to get other European nations to
unite with her in a scheme of general
retaliation against us in order to bring
the McKinley high tariff tinkers to
their senses. Failing to secure the co-
operation of the nations she put up
the duty on our grain to 35 cents a
bushel—a prohibitory rate—while ad-
mitting grain from other countries at
15 cents.

France is now willing to go further in
her efforts to compel us to trade with
her. We try to compel our Southern
neighbors to trade with us by incor-
porating our laws a threat that if
they do not begin to trade within a year
we will go to the Congress and ask
that we buy from them. We drink
our free cup of coffee now; but if they
do not buy our "harrel of pork and
hush of wheat" we will take ven-
geance on them by compelling ourselves
to pay three cents a pound more for our
coffee. At present we buy South Amer-
ican hides free of duty, and the untaxed
leather thus going into our shoes is
clearly a benefit to all our people; but
if South America does not open her
markets to us, we will make our shoes
guilty and make our own people pay
a tax of \$1.50 on every hundred pounds
of hides they buy from South America.
In this way we fancy that we shall
"get even" with our southern neighbors.
That is a singular way to settle with
scores. But, strange as it may seem,
France is ready, if we are correct,
to adopt our smart Yankee trick, and
of course, to try it on us as the first
and most guilty victim. Verily, "The na-
tions do imagine a vain thing."

ON FOREIGN SHORES.

Operations of Our Twine Trust in the
Philippine Islands—Trying to Make the
Freeze that the Hemp Growers in Manila
An Extortionate Monopoly Means With
More Opposition and Threats of Lynch
Law.

The latest consular reports give some
facts about the operations of our hemp
monopolists in the Philippine Islands.
In view of Senator Davis' attack on the
binding twine trust in his speech in the
Senate, and in view further of the vote
of fifteen Republicans with the Demo-
crats to put him twice on the free list,
this report from the Philippine
Islands is of special interest at this
time.

In his attack on the trust Senator
Davis said: "The entire business, in-
cluding the sources from which that
material is produced, is controlled by
a combination of all (or substantially
all) the manufacturers of cordage
and binding twine. That combina-
tion controls absolutely the
raw material (twine, etc.), in the
places where it is grown, and also limits
the product of the manufacturer and
fixes its price. That combination
consists of forty-two manufacturing
companies in the United States, and
seven or nine in Canada. These com-
panies are banded together by the co-
hesive force of a common interest.
They are superior to all law. In the
Philippine Islands they limit and con-
trol the price of one-half of the raw ma-
terial, and in Yunnan they control the
other half. They have one man in New
York to purchase for them all, and a

Baskin & Co. Kentucky.

HOPKINSVILLE, KENTUCKY, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1890.

\$2.00 A YEAR.

Partial list of BARGAINS for this Week. Come in now and sup- ply your want.

GRAND SELECTIONS. CHOICE BARGAINS.

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| 50c A yard, Crown Lace Scrim others
sell at 10c. | 75c Each, Ladies Fast Black Pure
Wool Jersey Ribbed Vest
cheap at \$1.25. | 98c A yard, All Wool Striped and
Plain skirting 21 yds. wide
cheap at \$1.25. |
| 18c A yard, Best Feather Bed
Ticking, worth 20c. | 10c Each, Men's Fine Linen Collar
and Cuff, regular price 20c. | 15c Children's extra fine quality
full Regular Imported Hose
cost 21c to import. |
| 47c A yard, Splendid quality
Bleached Linen Table Dam-
ask, German make. The best for
Durability and Laundrying, worth
75c. | 8c A yard, Fine Dress Gingham
new and extreme styles worth
10c. | 25c Ladies fine Ribbed Hose down
from 50c. |
| 10c A pair, Children's Full Re-
gular Imported Hose, McKin-
ley price 17c. | 25c A yard, 60 inch Cardinal
Table Damask color guaran-
teed. | 35c A pair Men's extra fine import-
ed Cashmere Socks, worth 50c. |
| 75c Each, for Ladies All Wool
Scarlet Vests, cheap at \$1.00. | 5c Each, Mens fine Muslin Hand-
kerchief fast color borders worth
10c. | 25c A yard, for All Wool Kersey
Painting worth 40c. |
| 25c Men's Fine silk Tock and
Four-in-Hand Scarfs, others
sell at 50c. | 5c Each, New Novelities in Ladies
fine Hemstitched Handkerchief. | 40c A yard, fine all wool Surah
Cloth Dress Goods, with side
band. |
| 50c A yard, All Wool Plaid Dress
Goods, Handsome effects,
worth 75c. | 33c Boys Outing Cloth Waists
worth 50c. | 19c Each, All Linen Barnsey
Huck Towels down from 25c. |

\$3.25 For Ladies' all wool Stockinet Jackets, worth \$5.00.
REEFERS. A full line of this new cut of Ladies' Jack-
ets, see them.



Every day goods, such as those we
make a specialty of, and are prepared
to offer some extra inducements to
buyers at this time. We have bought
for a

BIG TRADE

and we do not intend that prices shall
interfere with our sales. Those who
love Dainty Linens—and who doesn't?—
will find a fascination in our stock,
which has been chosen with the ut-
most care, and with reference to our
knowledge of the tastes and needs of
buyers in this community. In towels,
too, we

Come to the Front

with a line of goods that are fit to
keep pace with the enterprise shown
in our business generally. We have
laid in a lavish stock of these goods
and are prepared to please all buyers
who love to consider economy in their
purchase.

BASSETT & CO.

Manufacture's Sample Boots & Shoes.

Cost 15 to 25 per cent. more to manufacture than regular stock—the workman are paid extra for the care and pains
they take in making them and the stock is selected from the very best hides regardless of cost, and so taken all in all
a sample boot or shoe will outlast and give twice the amount of wear that regular goods will. And besides, there be-
ing only one pair of a kind and all one size they are sold as a

JOB LOT

and at a discount of 25 to 35 per cent.
For years the sharp shrewd retail Yankee shoe dealers in the near by towns to Boston have been gobbling up all
of these goods and our people have never had the advantage or opportunity of buying samples. So this season we
determined we would get some of this pie for our customers and to that end, we visited scores of manufacturers with
the sole purpose of buying their sample boots and shoes and succeeded in picking up about,

**300 pairs. Unlined Calf, kip and oil Grain, plain and box toe, pegged
and sewed Farmers and laborers Shoes all 8's and 9's. Choice of
this entire lot only \$1.50, not a pair worth less than \$2.00.**

**100 pairs Veal and kip plain and box toe boots all 9's for \$2.50
and \$3.00 not a pair worth less than \$3.50.**

These two lots were all we would pick up this season, and they went last long—so come early. Next season we
promise very much more.

In addition to the above, have we the largest and most complete stock of boots and shoes in Southern Ky., in which
may be found
Men's good full stock Brogans, for \$1.00
Men's good Stoga Boots, for \$2.00
Men's A 1 full stock Long Leg Boots, for \$2.50
Geo. Hocker's fine calf Boots, box toe, for \$3.00
In buying Hocker's boots, always look for Geo. Hocker's name stamped on inside of leg.
"A person's Wearable shoe" for women every day wear \$1.50
"Anderson's Wonderful \$1.99 shoe" for ladies fine wear. (It comes in fine soft dongola and Goat, light or heavy soles
—Lebanon, or lace—and all widths and shapes.)
"Anderson's Waterproof \$2.50 shoes" for Men's heavy winter wear. Best shoe on earth for hunters or farmers.
"Anderson's Warranted \$3.00 shoe" for Men's fine wear.

OUR BIG JOB LOT

of Men's working Shirts are going out with a whoop. Just think of buying good heavy shirts for 25, 39 and
49c. Still a few damaged Bull Dog pants left at 75 and \$1.00.
Our Clothing stock is replete with all the novelties in fine black chevots—double breasted vests suits—Prince Al-
berts, Cutaways and square shaws.

J. H. ANDERSON & CO.,

Nos. 1 and 3 Main St., Glass Corner.

SMALL MILLERS SUFFER.

An Example of How the Tariff Protects the
Strong and Oppresses the Weak.
A good example of how the tariff is
constructed to help the strong rather
than the weak, the rich rather than the
poor, is seen in the drawback amend-
ment which was put into the Tariff bill
upon the motion of Senator Sherman.

A drawback is simply a refunded duty.
When any dutiable material is brought
into the country it pays, of course, the
legal duty; but if it is material used in
the manufacture of some article, and
this article is then sold abroad, the
(Government refunds) 90 per cent of the
duty.

McKinley made a change in his Tariff
bill to the effect that the drawback
shall be 99 per cent of the original
duty and took great credit to his com-
mittee for that action. He said: "We
give to the capital and labor of this
country substantially free trade in all
foreign materials for use in the markets
of the world."

But the Senate adopted the Sherman
amendment, that no drawback should be
paid unless the goods are sold in 50c
or more. This will of course shut out
a large number of cases where drawback
is now paid, cases where small orders
are filled and a drawback is allowed on
the bag, tin, can, or other covering of
thousands of dollars a year out of the
pockets of smaller millers. It means that
the rebate on exported burlap sacks will
be paid only to large shippers, and that
small exporters must pay back 50 per cent
more money for their bags, or, he can buy
them of the American manufacturer for
less, which is, of course, impossible. It
tends to breed the large manufacturer,
sufficing the smaller, poorer one out of
the market.

Here are practical business men who
point out how the job combine is using
the tariff for its private benefit. When
such facts are pointed out to protect on-
ly the interests of a few, it is the mere talk
of "free trade cranks."

"South African Progress"
Our Consul at Cape Town, South
Africa, sends to the State Department
at Washington a report on what he calls
"South African Progress." Among
other things he calls attention to the
great growth of imports into the coun-
try. These imports amounted in 1888
to \$5,458,000; but in 1889 to \$7,454,000.

But the Consul is manifestly behind
the times. He has clearly not yet heard
of the doctrine which has come into
vogue since he left the United States—
that imports are an injury to a coun-
try and that the only way to have pros-
perity is to reduce imports.

Mr. Blaine's Department of State
prints the Consul's report and sends it
abroad into the country.
Is it not clearly a party mistake to al-
low an unknown Consul under the pre-
text of administration to teach a doctrine
so contrary to McKinley's?

Is it judicious to disseminate the idea
that the more foreign goods a country
buys the more progress there is in that
country? Is this Consul an "assistant
secretary" who is trying to undo the
great and glorious system of pro-
tection to American industries and
"America for Americans?"

Parents, you do yourselves and
your children great injustice if you
fail to give your children Dr. Bull's
Worm Destroyers. Many little lives
are sacrificed by such neglect.

The minister was a great hand-shak-
er—shutting down like a vise. One
day he shook a boy's hand, and gave
it an awful squeeze as he said: "My
little fellow, I hope you are pretty
well to-day." With tears in his eyes
the boy answered: "I was till you
shook hands with me."

THE LIMEKILN CLUB.

Brother Gardner is Taken In Once More
by a Designing Knave.
At the opening of the meeting Brother
Gardner announced that lecture No. 3 of
the summer series, announced at the
last meeting, would be delivered by the
Hon. Simeon W. Wellington, D. X.—S. G.
—Al, of Eufaula, Ala. The gentleman
named was known as "The Demosthenes
of the South," and ranked as a philoso-
pher of the first water. His subject was
"Why Art Dis Trusts" and Samuel Shin
and Pickles Smith were warned to pre-
serve a proper decorum in the presence
of the stranger or be prepared for the
consequences.

The honorable gentleman was intro-
duced by the visiting committee in one
time and three motions. Like all great
philosophers his shoes were down at
the heel, his elbows frayed, his knees
out of true, his general appearance
proved a careless man on his part as to
whether he got up right and first in the
morning. He was received with enthu-
siastic applause, during which Deacon
Baker managed to give Elder Toole a
vigorous kick and lay it to accident.

As he bowed his way out of the hall
he was heard to strike the wall behind
him and his collar made a determined
effort to rise above his ears.

"My friends," began the honorable in
a voice rich with anticipation of the com-
ing watermelon season, "we go to bed
at night. If we have no company we go
to bed 'long 'bout half-past nine o'clock.
If we have a voice on hand it may be
two hours later. If I say you what you go
to bed for you answer to sleep. What do
you sleep for? You fall out of bed. It is
because nature intended you to. Yes, but
why did she? You can't tell. You
tumble into bed 'an lay 'dar on your
backs 'an snore 'an dream of
de lucky numbers in polly, 'an when
morning comes you find dat it is be-
cause nature intended you to. In three or
four minutes Givensam Jones returned,
the right leg of his trousers split to the
knee, and his breath coming hard, and
as he sat down Brother Gardner arose and
said: 'My friends, the difference between
a philosopher 'an a fakir is sometimes so
powerful fine dat de best of men are de-
ceived. It's my opinion dat we got
hold of de wrong animal, but deversa-
grate hard dun. I reckon he won't
boder us no more, 'an perhaps he has
lost us a few grains of wheat among de
chaff. We will now announce de home-
wards.'—Detroit Free Press.

Decay, the Universal Law.
Let anything in nature become life-
less and inactive, and decay follows
as a usual sequence. Decay is the
universal law. Can you wonder when
a person feels constantly worn out
and more than half dead, that decay
of the lungs or kidneys is in them? They
say that decay of the lungs (consump-
tion) and decay of the kidneys (Bright's
disease) is incurable. Who says so? Only
those doctors who have failed. Don't dis-
pair. While there's life, there's hope! In
holding of the lungs or kidneys in the
lungs, in preventing further degenera-
tion, it is essential that all blood im-
purities should be removed, and an
alterative influence exerted upon the
whole system. The appetite and di-
gestion must both be improved. The
nervous system soothed and sleep,
nature's sweet restorer, invited and
encouraged. Energy must be aroused
and mental depression banished. In
this momentous rallying effort, Dr.
John Bull's Sarsaparilla is an essen-
tial ally to nature. Use this remedy.
It has restored many to health and
strength, even after doctors had given
up all hope.

"You are the twentieth in your
class, Hans. That means you are
at the very foot." "Well, papa, how
can I help it if there are no more boys
in the class?"

THE FIRST SYMPTOMS OF DEATH.
Tired feeling, dull headache, pains
in various parts of the body, sinking
at the pit of the stomach, loss of ap-
petite, feverishness, pimples or sores,
are all positive evidence of poisoned
blood. No matter how it became
poisoned it must be purified to avoid
death. Dr. Acker's English Blood
Purifier has never failed to remove
scarcely any of the poisons. Sold
under a positive guarantee.

H. B. GARNER, Druggist.

DAVID ZARTMAN, Druggist,
May 10, 1890. Independence, O.
A Prompt Cure.

I was cured sound and well of a
case of Blood Poison by S. S. S. As
soon as I discovered I was afflicted
with the disease I commenced taking
Swift's Specific (S. S. S.), and in a
few weeks I was permanently cured.

GEORGE STEWART,
Shelby, Ohio.
Treatment on Blood and Skin Dis-
eases mailed free.
SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Atlanta, Ga.

LINCOLN'S MELANCHOLY.

Drunkness—Liquor Habit—in all the
World there is but One Cure, Dr.
Haines' Golden Specific.

It can be taken in a cup of tea or
coffee without the knowledge of the
person taking it, effecting a speedy
and permanent cure, whether the
patient is a moderate drinker or an al-
coholic wreck. Thousands of drunk-
ards have been cured who have taken
the Golden Specific in their coffee
without their knowledge, and to-day
believe they quit drinking of their
own free will. No harmful effect re-
sults from its administration. Cures
guaranteed. Send for circular and
full particulars. Address in confi-
dence, GOLDEN SPECIFIC CO., 185 Race
Street, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Mattie—"Dot, what is a zebra? Dot
(who has been looking into natural
history for the last hour): "A zebra? Why,
Mattie, it's nothing but a funny
little horse that wears striped
stockings all over."

To Nervous Debilitated Men.
If you will send us your address, we
will mail you our illustrated pamphlet
explaining all about Dr. Dye's Cele-
brated Electric Voltaic Belt and Ap-
plications, and their charming effects
upon the nervous debilitated system,
and how they will quickly restore you
to vigor and manhood. Pamphlet
free. If you are thus afflicted, we will
send you a Belt and Applications on a
trial. VOLTAIC BELT CO., Marshall,
Mich.

First Young America—"Why wasn't
yer up to de fire last night, Chimney?"
Second Y. A. (disgusted): "I wisn't;
but, just my luck, it was put out de
minut I got dare. I allus was a Jonah
on a fire, anyhow."

OUR VERY BEST PEOPLE
Confirm our statement when we say
that Dr. Acker's English Remedy is
in every way superior to any and all
other preparations for the Throat and
Lungs. In Whooping Cough and
Croup it is a magic and relieves at
once. We offer you a sample bottle
free. Remember, this Remedy is
sold on a positive guarantee.

H. B. GARNER, Druggist.

A Scanton five-year-old, whose
mother had used ten cents from his
savings fund, last evening stamped
his father with this remark: "Pa, you
seem to benefit her until we tried
Warner's Sake Cure; from the first she
commenced taking it, she could just
move her hands in bed, and to-day she is
as well as ever was. I believe I owe
the recovery of my daughter to this use."

DO NOT SUFFER ANY LONGER.
Knowing that a cough can be
checked in a day, and the first stages
of consumption broken in a week,
we hereby guarantee Dr. Acker's
English Cough Remedy, and will re-
fund the money to all who buy, take
it as per directions, and do not find
our statement correct.

H. B. GARNER, Druggist.

The London Herald should have
been slow and stupid. It was too
good to live.

THAT TERRIBLE COUGH.
In the morning, hurried or difficult
breathing, raising phlegm, tightness
in the chest, quickened pulse, chilli-
ness in the evening or sweats at night,
all or any of these things are the first
stages of consumption. Dr. Acker's
English Cough Remedy will cure
these fearful symptoms, and is sold
under positive guarantee by H. B.
GARNER, Druggist.

Pronounced Hopeless, Yet Saved.

From a letter written by Mrs. Ann
E. Hurd of Groton, S. D., we quote:
"Was taken with a bad cold, which
settled on my Lungs, cough set in and
finally terminated in Consumption.
Four doctors gave me up saying I could
live but a short time. I gave myself up
to my Savior, and determined if I could
not stay with my friends on earth, I
would meet my absent ones above.
My husband was advised to get Dr.
King's New Discovery for Consump-
tion, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a
trial, took it in eight bottles; it has
cured me and thank God I am now
a well and hearty woman." Trial
bottles free at the H. B. Garner Drug
Co.

Eupespy.
This is what you ought to have,
in fact you must have it, to fully enjoy
life. Thousands are suffering for it
daily, and mourning because they find
it not. Thousands upon thousands of
dollars are spent annually by our
people in the hope that they may at-
tain this boon. And yet it may be
had by all. We guarantee that Elec-
tric Bitters, if used according to di-
rections and the use persisted in, will
bring you Good Digestions and out-
last the demon Dyspepsia and in-
stead instead Eupespy. We recom-
mend Electric Bitters for Dyspepsia
and all diseases of Liver, Stomach,
and Kidneys. Sold at 50c and \$1.00
per bottle by H. B. GARNER'S Phar-
macy.

"Oh, no, there ain't any favorites
in this family!" soliloquized Johnny;
"Oh, no! I guess not! If I bite my
finger nails I catch it over the knuckles.
But the baby can eat his whole foot
and they think it just cunning."

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

Hopkinsville Kentuckian.

TUESDAY, - OCTOBER 14, 1899.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Mr. E. G. Selree, of Henderson, is in the city.

Miss Cora Bacon is visiting Miss Mary Clark.

Mrs. Jas. Fall, La Crosse, Wis., is visiting Mrs. Pauline Lander.

Mr. C. M. Brown visited St. Louis last week to see the President.

Rev. S. N. Vail and Mr. A. M. Wallis are attending the meeting of their Presbytery in Louisville.

Dr. Andrew Seargent returned Saturday in a trip to Louisville, where he had been to attend a meeting of the Mississippi Valley Medical Association.

CREAM OF NEWS.

Brown's Majority Increased.

The contesting board yesterday made public their decision in the Lander-Brown contest. Thirty three of Lander's votes and thirty of Brown's were thrown out, increasing Judge Brown's majority of 21 to 24. No attention was paid to the list of votes claimed by Lander who were not recorded on the books as voting for him.

Brame's Light Sentence.

The trial of W. T. Brame for the killing of Conductor Lemon was concluded at Nashville last week. He was given a sentence of two years only, for manslaughter. On Saturday he decided not to take an appeal and was committed to the Nashville penitentiary. As he will get four months' "good time," his sentence will expire in June 1892.

Special Registration.

The special registration Friday and Saturday was very light, owing to the scarcity of material left after the very full registrations last summer. So far as heard from the result was: Hopkinsville No. 1, 2; No. 2, 2; No. 3, 1; No. 4, 0; Casky 5, Newstead 1, Union School House 1, Beverly 1, Bainbridge 2, Mt. Vernon 4, Fairview 1, Fairview 2, 1; Bellevue 1, Garrettsburg, 1.

All Three Held Over.

Joe Leavell, Geo. Murphy and Bill Davie, the three negroes jailed as accessories in the killing of Geo. Wednesday by Geo. Griffin, last Wednesday, were tried Saturday before Judge Morrow. The trial occupied most of the day, as there were a great many witnesses. All of them were held over, Leavell under a \$1,000 bond, Murphy under a \$250 bond and Davie on his own recognizance for \$100. The first two went to jail and Davie was released. Murphy may be able to give bail, but Leavell will probably stay in jail till March.

Hopkinsville Winners at Clarksville.

Bachelor, first in 3 minute trot, Henry W. second; purse \$200.
Sallie C. first in 2:30 trot, Nora G. second; purse \$300.

Dr. A. first in 2:40 pace, purse \$150. Bachelor second in 2:40 trot, purse \$200.

Dr. A. second in free for all pace, purse \$300.
Joe first in 2:30 pace, purse \$200. Total winnings \$750.

Marriage Licenses.

Jos. D. Tyler to Jessie J. Settle. M. D. Kelly to Hibernia O. Jones. S. E. Boyd to Nancy Littlefield.

COLORED.

Joe Lander to Lula Foster. John Bell to Mattie McCauley.

TO DISPEL COLDS.

Headaches and Fevers, to cleanse the system effectually, yet gently when costive or bilious, or when the blood is impure or sluggish, to permanently cure habitual constipation, to awaken the kidneys and liver, to a healthy activity, without irritating or weakening them, use Syrup of Figs.

The Golden Troupe.

Martin Golden's excellent dramatic company will begin a four nights' engagement at the Opera House tomorrow night with "The Martyr."

Miss Emma Butler is the leading lady. She is not only beautiful but possesses great talent and stage charms of a high order. Harry Robinson is the comedian and is a good one. "The Martyr" and other plays to be presented during the week are new to this city and are sure to please with their originality and merit. The company throughout is made up of ladies and gentlemen who are actors worth the name. Mr. Golden carries his own orchestra and band and will furnish the music for the fair company.

Read This Testimonial.

"The United States Mercantile Protective Association—Gentlemen:

After trying every possible way to collect a number of accounts on my books, I gave your System a trial with the most gratifying results; even so far as to collect those of four and five years standing which I had given up for lost. I recommend the System in the very highest of terms.

J. J. DECKER, Bookkeeper, etc., 1111 E. Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

For full particulars address F. A. Fuller, General Agent, No. 730, Seventh street, Louisville, Ky.

Committee Meeting Oct. 20.

The Democratic County Committee of Christian county, is hereby called to meet in the city court room, at 11 o'clock a. m., Monday Oct. 20th, for the consideration of important business. It is desired that every member be present.

CHAS. M. MEACHAM, Chairman.

HERE AND THERE.

Vitalia Liver Pills, small and sugar-coated.

R. M. Wooldridge, livery, feed & sale stable, Fritz' stand. Telephone 144.* There will be no vote on the Christian County Road law at the November election.

Mr. H. C. Richards is adding some very substantial improvements to his residence on South Main.

Lost, Tuesday evening a gold bracelet on South Virginia or South Main streets. Return to this office.

Mr. Morris Cohen has moved into the central one of the Forbes cottages, all of which are now occupied.

Bailey F. Allen, of Montgomery county, Tenn., lost a large barn full of tobacco by fire on the 7th inst.

Mr. J. F. Rogers has been appointed postmaster at Kelly, vice his father Geo. W. Rogers recently deceased.

The County Wheel will hold a special called meeting next Monday, in this city. A full attendance is desired.

Judge Brown did the usual amount of police court business yesterday morning, disposing of three or four cases.

Mr. A. A. Metz will have in his new house one of the handsomest residences on South Main. The frame work is now up.

J. E. Wicks, of Stuart's precinct, killed a deer last week which he brought to town and disposed of at 20 cents a pound.

Among the long list of pensions granted to Kentucky applicants Thursday was one for Stephen Watt, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Ellis McKee, Mr. L. H. McKee's little son, is now the happy possessor of one of the Times bicycles, secured by sending in 40 in subscriptions.

There will be a wheat sale at Julien Oct. 21 and farmers are invited to attend and sell their crops. It is expected that 40,000 bushels will be offered.

Bowles & Hayden will give several prizes to those guessing nearest to the number of seed in a large watermelon on exhibition at their art gallery this week.

Judge Brown will hold court for civil business the first Tuesday in each month. Parties desiring attachments or other processes can apply at any time.

The shed over McRea & McCoy's saw mill at Kelly was burned Friday and the mill itself narrowly escaped destruction. The loss was about \$300, with no insurance.

The new residence of Mr. E. M. Flack is an ornament to one of the fashionable residence streets of the city. It presents a very handsome appearance and is much admired by all who see it. Mr. Flack moved into it Saturday.

The L. & N. R. R. will sell excursion tickets to Atlanta, Ga., and return on October 14th, 21st and 28th at \$9.69 on account of the Piedmont exposition. Tickets are good until Nov. 3d.

W. W. ALEXANDER, Agt.

Coal has been discovered on the Harned place a few miles northeast of town, but its quality and the extent of the deposit have not yet been investigated. The prospectors believe they have struck a good vein of first-class canal coal.

A great many Wheelers were in town yesterday and the Democrats almost to a man are for Ellis and laugh at the idea of supporting the nominee of the little Republican showboat at Henderson. Christian County Democrats don't follow Republican leaders.

Mrs. Nancy Huston Banks, formerly of this city, has been appointed one of the Lady Managers of the World's Fair. She was offered the place which pays \$180 a month, through the instrumentality of Hon. James A. McKenzie. Mrs. Banks is a very talented lady and eminently qualified to fill this important position.—Henderson Journal.

About a week ago Omar S. Brown, the fugitive embezzler, sent in his resignation as a member of the Public School Board. His resignation was of course accepted and Saturday night the Board met and filled the vacancy by electing Mr. Dennis F. Smithson. Mr. Smithson is in every sense a suitable man for the place and in choosing him the Board has made a capital selection.

The performance given by the Pythian Amateur Minstrels Friday night was all that the public had been led to expect it would be. The audience was a very large one, almost filling the Opera House, and was made up of the best people of the city. All of the young gentlemen participating acquitted themselves handsomely and we regret that lack of space prohibits us from giving a detailed account of some of the features. The performance netted about \$150.

During the visit of Mrs. R. W. Reach to this city last week her residence at Henderson, Ky., was entered by burglars and all her jewelry stolen, amounting in value to several hundred dollars. The thieves entered through a window, and doubtless made their exit the same way, as all the family silver was found tied up in napkins and lying near a window, as if it had been dropped in flight. Two watches were stolen, among other valuables. Mr. Reach was sleeping in the house at the time, but was not awakened by the thieves.—Clarksville Leaf-Chronicle.

THE FAIR THIS WEEK.

Nothing But Bad Weather Will Prevent a Successful Meeting.

The City Filling Up With Visitors. Everything is in readiness for the fair to-morrow.

The exhibition features promise all that could be asked.

The stock rings will be full and the speed rings hotly contested by many first class animals.

The space in the floral hall is being rapidly filled up with exhibits and this department will be rendered especially attractive.

Senator Lindsay and Gen. Hill will make speeches at the Soldier's Reunion to-morrow and the Blue and Gray will unite in the general enjoyment.

Every day's program will be interesting and many special rings will be arranged.

The best of order will be maintained and nothing but inclement weather can mar the complete success of the fair.

The young people will crown the week's festivities with the grandest ball for years in the fine new Tobacco Exchange on Friday night.

Strangers from far and near will attend and the best of music has been secured.

Following is a partial list of the young lady visitors already in the city or who will arrive during the week:

Miss Cora Bacon, Bowling Green, at Mr. A. H. Clark's; Miss Grace Barr, Bowling Green, at Mr. D. A. Tandy's; Misses Eloise and Bessie Gordon, Columbia, at Mr. M. H. Nelson's; Miss Kate Jones, Columbia, Tenn., at Judge Petree's; Misses Flora Perkins and Lady Kennedy, Elkton, at Mrs. Moore's; Miss Mamie McKenzie, at Mr. W. L. Trice's; Misses Frankie Lawson, Bowling Green, Mamie Green, Maria Stocker and Blanche O'Brien, Clarksville, at Mr. Buckner Leavell's; Miss Effie Hill, Frankfort, at Mr. J. H. Anderson's; Misses Carrie Cronshaw and Ida Francisco, at Mr. E. P. Campbell's; Miss Susie Garth, at Mr. W. T. Radford's; Miss Myra Hart, at Maj. Brecht's; and Miss Fannie Barker, at Dr. Williams.

Gatekeepers—Jno. H. Witty, Robt. McCarrall, C. W. McGinnis, R. Burke, Jonas Courtney and R. S. Hester.

Policemen—Alex Campbell, chief, Jno. W. Tucker, L. L. Nickols, Geo. W. V. Lander, Geo. H. Merritt and Jo M. West.

Ticket seller—Geo. Bradley. Marshall—Jouett Henry. Manager Floral Hall—Ben Thompson.

Over fifty horses have already arrived.

Ladies are admitted free the first day.

Golden's band will execute the K. P. movements entire the first day.

Hon. W. T. Ellis speaks at the Court House to-night.

DEATHS.

Mrs. Emelia Kleiman, wife of Mr. Wm. Kleiman, of Clarksville, died in that city on the 8th inst, after a long illness.

Little Mildred Sallee, a three-year-old daughter of Mr. Ike Sallee, of Caledonia, Trigg county, died Saturday night last, of diphtheria.

Mary Bell Lander, daughter of Mr. O. G. Lander, died at the home of her parents on North Main street, Saturday, aged 5 years. Interment in the city cemetery at 4 p. m. Sunday.

Pearl Zimmer, the bright little six-year-old daughter of Mr. Nathan Zimmer, died Sunday morning, at her home on South Virginia street. The disconsolate parents have the heartfelt sympathies of many friends in the loss of their last born, the joy and pride of their hearts and the light of the household she brightened with her presence.

What Does It Mean?

"100 Doses One Dollar" means simply that Hood's Sarsaparilla is the most economical medicine to buy, because it gives more for the money than any other preparation. Each bottle contains 100 doses and will average to last a month, while other preparations taken according to directions, are gone in a week. Therefore, be sure to get Hood's Sarsaparilla, the best blood purifier.

Christian County Beauties. (Owensboro Messenger.)

Miss Mamie McKenzie, of Christian county, was the recipient of marked attention. Being the daughter of the distinguished gentleman who three times represented this district in Congress and whose fame is known throughout the country, there was a general desire among his many and loyal friends here to meet her. Attracted by her handsome appearance, those who met her were charmed by her rare conversational powers, in both of which she bears strong resemblance to her father. She was a decided favorite.

Another Christian county girl, who is noted for her beauty throughout the State, was Miss Lillie Wooldridge. Her visits are looked forward to with great pleasure by her many Owensboro admirers. She was especially lovely in the Greek gown she wore at the fair hop.

Every tissue of the body, every nerve, bone and muscle is made stronger and more healthy by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Another Barn Burned.

A barn filled with fine tobacco, belonging to Geo. Bourland, who resides near Crofton, was consumed by fire last Thursday. The loss is estimated at \$500, with no insurance. It caught from the intense heat while firing.

LEMON ELIXIR.

A Pleasant Lemon Drink.

For biliousness and constipation, take Lemon Elixir.

For indigestion and foul stomach, take Lemon Elixir.

For sick and nervous headaches, take Lemon Elixir.

For sleeplessness and nervousness, take Lemon Elixir.

For loss of appetite and debility, take Lemon Elixir.

For fevers, chills and malaria, take Lemon Elixir.

Lemon Elixir will not fail you in any of the above diseases, all of which arise from a torpid or disordered liver, stomach, kidneys, bowels or blood.

Prepared only by Dr. H. Mozley, Atlanta, Ga. 50c. and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

A Prominent Minister Writes.

After ten years of great suffering from indigestion, with great nervous prostration, biliousness, disordered kidneys and constipation, I have been cured by Dr. Mozley's Lemon Elixir, and am now a well man.

Rev. C. C. Davis, Eld. M. E. Church South. No. 28 Tenth St. Atlanta, Ga.

Many persons are broken down from overwork or household cares. Buy Dr. Mozley's Iron Bitters.

It builds up the system, aids digestion, removes excess of bile, and cures malaria. Get the genuine.

SPECIAL LOCALS.

Grand Opening

—OF—

Fine Millinery Goods

—AT—

MRS. CARRIE HART'S

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday Next.

Mrs. Hart having returned from the East with a very large and well selected line of Millinery goods, will have the above opening, and invites one and all the ladies to call and examine her excellent line of these goods. A fine assortment of pattern hats for ladies, Misses and children, and prices to suit everybody. Remember her dates, and all come and see whether you wish to purchase or not.

OUR DISPLAY

Will be in our office, as there is no suitable place in the Fair Ground to display our fine embroidery. Call and see it and get a souvenir.

C. E. WEST & Co., The Sewing Machine Men.

For Sale!

The largest and best stock of Strawberry and Raspberry plants in the South. Thirty-five varieties of Strawberries. Fifteen varieties of Raspberries. Prices low. Stock warranted true to name. Many of my Strawberries this season measured over seven inches around.

F. B. HANCOCK, Cashier, Christian Co., Ky.

New Millinery

Miss Alice Hayes' new millinery stock surpasses in quality any previous purchases, and has been received, opened up and is ready for inspection. You will find her prices as low as the lowest for nice goods.

Remember her FALL OPENING, which takes place next Thursday and Friday, the 16th and 17th, and be on hand early.

BIG SALE

Of Stock of Goods, Live Stock, Implements and entire crop of 1899. Having located permanently in Chicago, I will close out to the highest bidder, on Saturday, Oct. 18th all my personal property at Boddie, Ky., consisting of Stock of Goods, entire crop and fixtures, 50 Plovers, 30 work mules, 10 mule and horse colts, 6 wagons, 2 buggies, 20 sets gear, 3 binders, 2 separators, 1 wheat drill, 1 rake, full set blacksmith's tools, 500 bbls. corn, 70,000 lbs. tobacco on stalk, 15 bbls. flour, 1,000 lbs. rice country bacon, 30 head cattle, 20 hogs, 100 bushels sweet potatoes. Sale begins promptly at 9 a. m. and everything must go regardless of value or price bid. There will be no by-bidding.

Terms—All under ten dollars, cash, balance on twelve months time with approved security.

SEVERAL FARMS FOR RENT NOW FOR 1891.

JOHN T. BODDIE,

DON'T FAIL

To call on Mrs. M. E. Rogers' Millinery Emporium, ladies—and see her fine selection of trimmings, and other fine fabrics in the millinery line.

1 Live to Dye.

Cleaning, Dyeing and Repairing Gentlemen's and Ladies' Clothing. Guarantee satisfaction. Ninth St., back of First National Bank. 8-29 3m FRANK ZINDER.

REMEMBER

That Mrs. M. E. Rogers has returned from the East with an elegant line of Millinery Goods which are now on sale. She will have a fine display of trimmed goods all next week, and it will pay the ladies to call and look through her immense stock.

ART NOTICE.

Miss Eunice Fuqua will teach an Art Class at Bethel Female College, instructing in Painting, Oil Drawing and Pencil Crayon. Session commencing Aug. 25, 1890.

DRESS GOODS AND MILLINERY.

HERE ARE SOME GENUINE BARCAINS.

All wool Gilbert's Cloth, 52 inches wide at 65c, worth \$1.00.

All wool Zenito Saiting, 42 inches wide at 40c, former price 65c.

40-inch Henrietta, full line at 25c. Send for samples.

56-inch all wool Scotch Tweed, very desirable for traveling suits and street wear, only 75c.

Handsome line of Plaid and Striped Dress Goods, 25c, 45c, 60c and 75c.

All wool Henrietta, 40 inches wide, silk finish for 45c, worth 75c.

Best Henrietta, full count, 85c. All new shades. This is the same goods sold at \$1.00 everywhere.

If you want a bargain in all wool blankets, call and get one of my \$5.00 pair for \$3.25.

Good Jeans worth 35c, go at 25c.

9 oz. Jeans, all wool, worth 45c, I let go at 35c.

Just received a large line of Plushes and Velvets. Prices the lowest.

Gents' Underwear only 90c a suit, worth \$1.25.

48-inch all wool Surah Serges in all the new fall shades for 95c, worth \$1.10.

Beautiful line of Black and White Plaids at 25c. This is good value for 35c.

My grand Millinery Opening still continues.

I am receiving new goods by express every day. They can't beat my prices and styles.

My carpet department is full of the newest designs in wool and Brussels, prices all the lowest.

A. A. METZ.

The Christian County Fair

WILL BE HELD AT

Hopkinsville, Ky.,

—ON—

OCTOBER 15, 16, 17, 18.

Do not forget that this fair is in the hands of a new Directory, who will use every effort to re-establish in our county

AN OLD-FASHIONED FAIR,

and such a fair as everybody can attend. There WILL POSITIVELY BE NO GAMBLING OR POOL-SELLING on the grounds.

A NEW FLORAL HALL DEPARTMENT

has been added to the list of attractions. A GRAND REUNION OF THE BLUE AND THE GRAY will be held on the first day, Oct. 15.

YOU CAN BUY SEASON FAMILY TICKETS VERY CHEAP.

W. T. RADFORD, DIRECTOR.

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SPECIAL LOCALS.

Wheat Fertilizer!

For the Old Standard National Dissolved Bone, for wheat, send in your orders or call on Frank Waller in J. H. Anderson's Mammoth Clothing Palace No. 1 Glass Cor. Hopkinsville, Ky. D. A. TANDY.

Dissolution Notice.

The firm of Rea, Johnson & Over-shiner has been dissolved by mutual consent, C. W. Rea retiring. The business will be conducted in future in the firm name of Johnson & Over-shiner, at the old stand.

FOR SALE OR TRADE.

"New Home" sewing machine, \$45 3 "New National" sewing machine, 40 Marlin improved repeating rifle. 27 Lovell washing machines. 5 These articles are all new. Will sell them at a bargain or trade other useful articles of equal value. Apply at KENTUCKIAN office.

OPERA HOUSE.

FAIR WEEK.

WEDNESDAY, Oct. 15.

THE GOLDENS

And their superior Dramatic Company's superb silver band and orchestra. TWENTY ARTISTS Representing New and Popular Plays by Popular Playes. Wednesday evening will be presented the great emotional drama, "The Martyr."

Countess de Moray..... Miss Emma Butler Sir Elie Frank..... Mr. Harry Robinson Count de Moray..... Mr. Harry Robinson Prices 25, 50 and 75c. Reserved seats on Sale at Galleries. EVERY BODY COME.

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